

PTA News

223RD STREET SCHOOL PTA members presented their annual spring fashion show last Tuesday, May 9 in the school auditorium. Mothers, daughters, and sons alike took part in the many fashions. On display were many hobbies enjoyed by parents and youth groups. Special guests for this meeting were Mrs. David Goolsby and Mrs. Francis Annania. Second grade mothers served as host-

esses and carried through with the spring motif with punch and cookies. Attendance room prizes were won by Mmes. Ann Stanley and Mabelle DeBra, teachers. Mrs. David Goolsby, first president of 223rd Street School PTA, served as installation officer and she compared the work for the officers to the duties of the crew of a ship. As skipper she installed Mrs. Ralph Robertson, president-elect for 1961-62, as co-pilot Mrs. Eddie Grijalva, first vice president, and as purser Mrs. Jimmy Morris, treasurer. The other officers installed at this meeting were Mmes. Robert Dossey as second vice president; Dwayne Witty as secretary; Perry Butler as financial secretary; Harold Burgner as historian and Lee Weinberg as auditor. Mrs. Freddie Doolin, Lomita-San Pedro Council president, and Mrs. Helen Lampshire, school clerk, were special guests at a luncheon given for all members of the executive board of 22rd Street School PTA. Hostesses for this luncheon were Mmes. Marie Lorenz, principal, and R.C. Heitmeyer, retiring PTA president. During the business meeting Mrs. James Nash, president-elect, announced that Mrs. John Bankard would serve as parliamentarian on the new board. Mrs. Bankard was also named as chairman for the teachers luncheon, which will be held in June. Plans were completed for the

hobby and fashion show to be presented on May 9 at the monthly PTA meeting. A meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 16, to complete plans for the May festival, which will be held on Monday, May 29.—Mrs. T. Devine. ANZA PTA slated to hold first Musical Festival, Thursday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m. in school cafeteria, 21400 Elwood Dr. Philip Korman, principal, will present the program. Under direction of Mr. Frank Snyder, Anza A and B bands will participate separately and as a combination group, along with our childrens chrous. Soloists are Linda Hennrick, and Randy Lee. Presentations will be serious and popular music. eight selections in all. Sixty children will take part 4th thru 8th grades. Mrs. M. K. Sullivan, president, will introduce the "Land Ahoy" theme presenting Anza PTA "This is your Life 1960-61." A review of everything done during the past seasons; mostly by comedy skits with members and

Art Winner Is Martin Garcia

Martin Garcia, 18-year-old art student at El Camino College, was awarded 1st prize of \$100 as winner of the Palos Verdes Annual Exhibition of Art now being shown at the Palos Verdes Library. Garcia's work, presented under the title "Coffee," is an oil impression and shows "an effort that is very imaginative and not reliant upon naturalistic images," Willie Suzuki, El Camino art instructor under whom Garcia is studying, commented. "It is a remarkable achievement for so young an artist," Robert Neice, member of the Board of Directors of the Palos Verdes Communities Art Association, said. According to Neice, the limitation of space afforded by the exhibition made it necessary to withhold from the show works submitted by some of the outstanding professional artists in Southern California. "That Garcia competed so successfully against a selection of such fine artists is an indication that great things may be expected from this young man," Neice said. Garcia, at present a second semester student in the study of oil painting, will finish his work at El Camino before deciding upon a future direction.

teachers which will prove highly entertaining for all. Each year a committee is formed to pick the most deserving person in our community for their service to children. All votes were unanimous this year—Our Honorary Life Membership went to Mrs. Sandra Walker, Multi-grade teacher, for the fine work done on our school library. Each librarian and Mrs. Walker will receive a pin in shape of a book. Mrs. C. E. Sutton is to be presented with an award for her outstanding work on our Record Book. After the meeting Mrs. Mm. Faulds will have a homemade bake sale. Refreshments will be served and baby sitting provided.



PERFORMANCE—Ballet La Jeunesse will perform with the Civic Symphony Saturday, May 20, at Redondo Union High School Auditorium.

Community Asset, Says Dean

The 30 mobile home parks in Torrance are a community asset, according to Dr. James Gillies, assistant dean, Graduate School of Business Administration, UCLA, who completed a comprehensive survey of mobile home parks early this year. Purpose of the survey was to evolve a true picture of the tax, social and economic relationship of the mobile home parks and their residents to the surrounding community. In his report, Dr. Gillies found that modern mobile home parks with their self-contained recreational and social activities provide quality housing at relatively low cost. And that "the vast majority of people living in mobile life through choice, not economic necessity." As part of the tax research, Dr. Gillies made comparisons between mobile home parks of low density (11 spaces or less per acre) and commensurate housing developments. Results showed that both types of housing normally yield a net revenue to the community with the mobile home parks being slightly more attractive than the single family residential development, in terms of revenue and costs. The low fire hazard, low level of police services required, and the high amount of internal organization within a park places less of a burden on these traditional municipal functions than imposed by conventional subdivisions. "Based on a cost-revenue situation mobile home parks can be a definite asset to the community," the report concluded.



CLEOPATRA For her actual beauty, it is said, was not in itself so remarkable, but the contact of her presence if you lived with her was irresistible. The attraction of her person, joining with the charm of her conversation and the character that attended all she said or did, was something bewitching. It was a pleasure merely to hear the sound of her voice. —PLUTARCH (46-120) Greek biographer

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